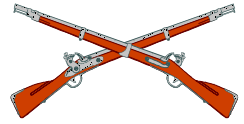




17 MAR 00 BENNING BULLETIN NO. 11



OFFICIAL:

1. GRADUATION:

UNIT	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	GUEST SPEAKER	POC
Civil-Military Operations Course (0-11-1)	24 Mar, 1100	Pratt Hall Auditorium	TBA	SGT Lebron, 545-3948
B Co, 1 st Bn, 50 th IN & D Co, 1 st Bn, 50 th IN	21 Apr, 1000	Kanell Field Sand Hill	LTC M. J. Barron	SPC Tomlin, 544-9596
A Co, 1 st Bn, 50 th IN & C Co, 1 st Bn, 50 th IN	28 Apr, 1000	Kanell Field Sand Hill	LTC M. J. Barron	SPC Tomlin, 544-9596

2. FIELD OFFICER OF THE DAY/STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

FOD duty is at IN Hall (Rm 650): weekdays, 1600; weekend/holiday, 1600 last duty day; payday activities, 1130.

SDO duty is at IN Hall, EOC Rm W-87, then to Rm 111, weekdays, 1500; weekend/holiday, 1500 last duty day; payday activities, 1200.

DATE	FOD/SDO NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE
*18 MAR 00	MAJ WELCHER, S.	11 th IN REGT	545-6825
*18 MAR 00	CPT MCMILLIAN, D.	11 th IN REGT	545-2831
*19 MAR 00	MAJ SAWYER, G.	11 th IN REGT	545-6817
*19 MAR 00	CPT HANLEY, T.	11 th IN REGT	545-9189
20 MAR 00	MAJ WELCHER, S.	11 th IN REGT	545-6825
20 MAR 00	CPT FERNANDEZ, G.	11 th IN REGT	545-1494
21 MAR 00	MAJ SAWYER, G.	11 th IN REGT	545-6817
21 MAR 00	CPT SCHROEDER, A.	11 th IN REGT	545-9597
22 MAR 00	MAJ SCOTT, B.	11 th IN REGT	545-9859
22 MAR 00	CPT KINGSTON, D.	3/3 ID	544-2507
23 MAR 00	MAJ ALLEN, G.	11 th IN REGT	545-1282
24 MAR 00	CPT SMITH, E.	3/3 ID	544-2507
24 MAR 00	MAJ HARRIS, W.	11 th IN REGT	545-1289

* INDICATES WEEKEND/HOLIDAY DUTIES

POC is SPC Scott, 545-5127.

3. STAFF DUTY CHAPLAIN: The Staff Duty Chaplain can be reached for emergencies during non-duty hours through the Staff Duty Officer, Infantry Hall, 545-2218.

4. MILITARY POLICE: Official emergency telephone numbers for the Fort Benning MP Desk (911, 545-5222/3/4) are recorded for accuracy of record purposes (AR 190-30). POC is CPT Sides/MSG Jones, Law Enforcement Division, 545-4376.

5. SPECIAL FORCES RECRUITING TEAM: The Special Forces wants professional enlisted and officer volunteers seeking their next challenge in the Army. If you are an enlisted Soldier in pay grade E-3 through E-6 with a GT score of 100 or higher, or you are a commissioned officer in year group 1995 through 1998, you can apply for Special Forces training. Are you up to the challenge of a lifetime? If so, you can receive training as a member of an A-Team. If you are a person who can accomplish the mission when others can't or just won't, then Special Forces is for you. The time to act is now. Volunteer today and become one of America's consummate Soldiers. For more information on Special Forces, access the web page at www-benning.army.mil/fbhome/Sforce/index.html or contact your Special Forces Recruiting Team at 706-545-3079 or DSN 835-3079. CPT Thomas Jarzen, SFC Andy Wilson and SFC Thomas Nichols will assist you in preparing for Special Forces training. POC is CPT Thomas D. Jarzen, DSN 8935-3079 or 706-545-3079.

6. TRICARE WEB HELP SITE: TRICARE Web Help Site is now

available, TRICARE_help@amedd.army.mil.

• What Is TRICARE E-mail Help? TRICARE e-mail help is the Army's free service designed to get you quick answers to any TRICARE question. Whether you are looking for basic TRICARE information or have a more difficult issue involving TRICARE, there is one address where people are standing by to assist you.

• Who Will Answer My Mail? You will receive an initial response from our professional administrative staff within one business day. This initial response will let you know which TRICARE expert has been assigned to help answer your question. Our TRICARE experts work at Army hospitals, the TRICARE Management Agency, at our corporate headquarters (United States Army Medical Command/Office of the Army Surgeon General), and for the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs. If it has to do with TRICARE, we have the people who can answer your question. No matter what part of TRICARE your e-mail pertains to, we will keep your personal information confidential.

• When Will I Receive A Reply? Once your inquiry reaches one of our experts, we will get you an answer fast. In some cases, our expert can resolve your issue the same day. With more difficult issues, you can expect at least a preliminary response in a week.

• Where Can I Use The Help Address? Our e-mail address can be reached from any computer that is connected to the Internet. You can easily reach us from work, home, or from anywhere else. It is perfectly acceptable to e-mail us from your Department of Defense computer at work.

• How Does The System Work? Our e-mail help system uses the speed and efficiency of the Internet to send your inquiry directly to our TRICARE e-mail Help Staff Center. Once it arrives there, our professional administrative staff consults their list of TRICARE experts and forwards your mail to the expert who is responsible for your concern. We track each and every piece of mail to make sure all mail is answered quickly and professionally. Our experts respond directly to you. If you have additional questions or need more help, they are only a click away. Each inquiry and response is filed so that you can always write to us again and ask for more help on the same issue.

7. RECYCLING IN UNITS & ACTIVITIES: Due to a temporary manpower shortage, DPW personnel are unable to maintain their usual schedule for pickup of recyclable items in units and activities. (On the other hand, pickup of recyclable items in all family housing units is unaffected.) DPW urgently requests the help of all units and activities. Please make an effort to bring recyclable material directly to the DPW Material Recovery Facility (MRF), Bldg 4000, Harmony Church, on Old Cusseta Road. Hours of operation are 0800 - 1600, Monday through Friday. MRF personnel are available on site to direct units in proper disposal of all items. For further information, contact Walter Nichols, 544-6142, or email NicholsW@benning.army.mil.

8. INSTALLATION MENU BOARD MEETING: The Installation Menu Board Meeting will be held Thursday, 23 Mar 00, at the Cook School (Bldg 2760) at 0900. Attendance of all unit Food Advisors and/or representative from all Food Service Activities is required. Food Advisors are encouraged to bring enlisted diners from their command to the Menu Board Meeting. POC is Mr. Hilton, Chief, Food Service Branch, 545-3750/7970.

9. RECLAMATION CLOTHING SALE: The Reclamation Clothing Sale will be held on Friday, 7 Apr, 1000-1400, Bldg 224. Sale items will be priced to 25 percent of acquisition cost rounded up to the nearest dollar. Each customer will be limited to \$150.00 total purchase. Payments will be accepted in the form of cash or personal checks. Persons authorized to purchase personal clothing at the sale include all active duty personnel of all branches of the Armed Forces. Sales to retired members of the Armed Forces are limited to Class A uniforms (including accessories) and dress shoes. Proper

identification is required. POC is Mr. Wimmer, Classification Unit, Storage Section, 545-1972.

10. ARMY EDUCATION CENTER: The Army Education Center now offers FAST classes. The FAST instruction is for Soldiers who want to raise their GT Scores. Prior to attending the Sessions, Soldiers must take a test that will be given every weekday except Thursday. The test will be given at Bldg 9004 at 0830 and 1330. Classes will be offered at morning and afternoon sessions, 0800-1145 and 1300-1645, Bldg 9004. For more information, call Mr. Robinson at 544-1716.

FAST SCHEDULE

SESSIONS	DATES			
a. m.	27-31 Mar	3-7 Apr	10-14 Apr	
a. m.	3-7 Apr	10-14 Apr	17-30 Apr	24 Apr
a. m.	24-28 Apr	1-5 May	8-12 May	
a. m.	1-5 May	8-12 May	15-19 May	
p. m.	3-7 Apr	10-14 Apr	17-20 Apr	24 Apr
p. m.	1-5 May	8-12 May	15-19 May	

POC: Ms. Elaine Livingston, Education Service Officer, 545-6105.

11. TROY STATE UNIVERSITY: No matter what unit Soldiers are assigned to, college courses are possible. Troy State University offers a Special College Course Program that allows units to enroll Soldiers in classes during nontraditional hours and dates. Units have the flexibility to schedule classes during times, dates, and location of their choice. There are some rules that apply but basically it's a great way to obtain college credits if you cannot attend regular college classes. Classes include History, Math, Psychology, computers, and more. Continuing Education courses are also available. Any unit interested in obtaining more information on this program may contact Leon Johnson at 685-9555.

12. CID REWARDS: The Fort Benning CID is seeking information from the general public leading to the apprehension and conviction of the person(s) responsible for committing a criminal offense that occurred on Ft. Benning, GA.

a. The U.S. Army is offering a \$300.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of a Pentium laptop computer belonging to the U.S. Government from the Admin Office, Bldg 9073, C Co, 1/30th IN Regt, Ft. Benning, GA, between 21-23 Jan. This reward will expire on 10 May.

b. The U.S. Army is offering a \$200.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of a Gateway computer, monitor, Canon printer, Xerox copier, and an APC power cord, from the Conner Brothers construction site adjacent 1st Div Rd, Ft. Benning, GA, between 6-7 Jan. This reward will expire on 10 May.

c. The U.S. Army is offering a \$1,000.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of 18 televisions from an AAFES storage trailer adjacent the Main PX, Ft. Benning, GA, between 13-14 Feb. This reward will expire on 2 Jun.

d. The U.S. Army is offering a \$1,000.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of a 1994 blue 2-door Ford Probe GT, bearing license GA#12482 QD, from the parking lot of Quarters 117-H Brostrom Street, Ft. Benning, GA, between 19-23 Feb. This reward will expire on 2 Jun.

e. The U.S. Army is offering a \$300.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of a Hewlett Packard printer from the Main Post Chapel, Ft. Benning, GA, between 5-6 Jan. This reward will expire on 9 Jun.

f. The U.S. Army is offering a \$300.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of two Gateway computers belonging to the U.S. Government from the Mail Room, Bldg 9076, 3d Bde, 3d IN Div, Ft. Benning, GA, between 2-3 Mar. This reward will expire on 10 Jun.

g. The U.S. Army is offering a \$500.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of one portable John Deere gas operated power washer and one Millermatic portable electric welder, from Bldg 4314, Ft. Benning, GA, between 1-3 Mar. This reward will expire on 10 Jun.

h. The U.S. Army is offering a \$600.00 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of person(s) responsible for the larceny of one Dell laptop computer, one GE hand held radio, and one Erikson hand held radio belonging to the U.S. Government from the Transportation Office, Ft. Benning, GA, between 29-30 Dec 99. This reward will expire on 12 Jan 01.

Anyone with information should contact SA Garcia at 545-7872 or the MP Desk at 545-5222.

13. ROAD CLOSURES: All roads closed by live fire exercises safety danger zones (SDZ) will be closed by roadblocks and road barriers. Road barriers will be locked in place, display warning signs and be lighted during hours of darkness to provide warning of the blockage and allow sufficient time for traffic to slow and turn around. POC is Range Division, DOT, 545-1602.

14. CLOSURES:

a. The Family Housing office, Bldg 399, Olson Hall and the CHRRS office, Bldg 2621, Soldiers Plaza, will be closed all day on Wednesday, 29 Mar. Employees will attend an all day training session. Both offices will reopen Thursday morning, 29 Mar at 0830.

b. DRMO will be closed 6-7 Apr 00 for training. In case of an emergency, contact Fran Allor, 706-575-8090.

c. The 36th Engineer Group announces the closure of a 1500m section of dirt road running from the Dekkar Air Strip to approximately the northern corner of Lawson Air Field (Grid Coordinates FL93887290 to FL95057395). The road will be closed until approximately 15 Apr 00. Normal traffic on this road is minimal and alternate roads can be used while this section is closed. For further information contact 1LT Retherford, Construction Management Officer at 545-2954.

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15. RETIREMENT CEREMONY: Please join the Transportation Division, DOL, at an Open House honoring Patricia Porter on her retirement after 37 years of dedicated service. Open House will be held 29 Mar, 1330-1530, Bldg 280. POC is Cheryl Mejia, 545-4873.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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